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The Pioneer Store

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The Pioneer Merchant

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CANADIAN PATRIOTIC FUND CREEK VALLEY DISTRICT

An Auction Sale and Dance will be held in the Creek
Valley Schoolhouse on Friday, March 9th, at 8 p. m.,
in aid of the above fund

Surely we, who are benefiting so largely by the war and are following
our usual occupations in quietness and security, should give largely from
our prosperity for those, who, have in many cases, have lost their all,
soly that we may be safe. Think of the dozens of our own local "BRAVE
Boys" who are losing their lives and limbs for our good, so roll up with
your donations of Money; Jewelry; Horses; Cattle; Swine;
Poultry; Furniture; Eatables or Anything Saleable.

All donations thankfully received by any member of the
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Seventy persons were killed
and over 400 injured by an ex-
plosion in a munition factory,
in London, Eng.

Several German destroyer
craft and one British, sunk dur-
ing an engagement near the
Belgian coast.

Germans drive Russians back
1½ miles in the Riga section.

Bulgarians meet with a bad
reverse on the Danube, losing
a whole battalion.

Geo. E. Kennedy, of Delia
Alta., is in town on a business
trip in connection with the
Drug Store.

Tommy Nond is away on a
pleasure jaunt.

John Mitchell is attending
the U. F. A. Convention in Ed-
monton.

An extra large crowd attend-
ed Newman Craig's auction
sale, yesterday. Bidding was
very brisk and excellent prices
were obtained for everything.

Today's Market Report

Wheat—No. 1 Northern.....	1.50
Wheat—No. 2 Northern.....	1.53
Wheat—No. 3 Northern.....	1.48
Wheat—No. 4 Northern.....	1.27
Wheat—No. 5 Northern.....	1.02
Wheat—No. 6 Northern.....	.07
Wheat—Feed	.08
Flax	2.35
Oats No. 2 C. W.	.44
Barley	.71

LITERARY SOCIETY

There was a fair attendance
at the meeting of the Literary
Society, last Tuesday. The pro-
gram given consisted of songs
recitations and papers. Every
person in this district should
make an effort to attend these
meetings.

Transient Ads.

NOTICE

Applications for Sec-Treas for the
R. M. of Stewart, No. 302, will be re-
ceived by the undersigned up to Feb-
ruary 15th, 1917. Salary \$700.00 per
annum. Services to commence March
1st, 1917.
W. C. Huston
Sec-Treas. Consort, Alta.

WANTED

A teacher for the Stonelaw School,
No. 2049. Duties to commence March
19, 1917. State salary and qualifica-
tions when applying.
W. G. Clarke, Sec-Treas. Monitor

ESTRAY

On the premises of W. H. Poynter,
Sec. 11-37-5, one black steer, 2 years
old, short horns.

ESTRAY

On the premises of S. Dean, S. W.
¼ of Section 14-30-5, one white goat,
weighs about 100 lbs. Been there
since November.

Hides! Hides!

We are paying 14 cents a
pound for hides.

No. 1 Steer Beef 11 cents a lb for Hind Quarters
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REV. W. S. WICKENDEN, B.A., L.T.H.
PASTOR.
Monitor, every Sunday,
Sunday, January 14th, 3 p. m.
" " 21st, 11 a. m.
" " 28th, 3 p. m.
A hearty invitation to all services
Books provided.

United Lutheran Church

REV. H. T. EGERDAHL, M.A.
PASTOR
Service will be held on Sunday
January 28th in
at C. Acer's place, 2 p.m.

Sunday Services

Berryfield.....
Lone.....
Monitor.....7.30 p. m
Monitor Sunday School, 12 a.m
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(Continued)

"And he for me," the elder woman answered, "we have smoothed things for each other, Daphne. But I agree with the remarks made by a character in a book I once read. She advised her daughter not to be a cushion for her husband; not to make things too soft for him, but to strengthen and help him. I am not really afraid you will be a cushion for Hugh."

"I don't like to be a cushion," Daphne shook her head decidedly. "I want to help Hugh to live up to the best in him; to fulfill himself in the highest way; to follow his noblest ideals. I shouldn't say all this to anybody but you, Aunt Mildred," she added shyly, "but you seem to understand."

"I do understand, and I think you are perfectly right," Mrs. Merivale smiled up into the face of her hand touched Daphne's hand on which rested her engagement ring. Raymond's niece was very dear to Raymond's wife, and when the girl became engaged to Hugh Brentwood, the rising young doctor of Stanhurst, both she and her husband had been anxious that it was for Daphne's happiness. Brentwood's birth and breeding were unquestionable, it was prophesied that he would do well in his profession and in all probability rise to one of its high places; and he was endowed with a personal charm which made him popular wherever he went. He was now partner with a certain Mr. Barry, who possessed the largest practice in and around Stanhurst, a big village which liked to be called a country town and had large aspirations.

The Merivale's house, Demberton Manor, stood about a mile and a half from the village, and close to the hamlet of Demberton which gave it its name, and Mr. Merivale owned large tracts of land in the neighborhood, and he and his forefathers had been a patron of the parish for many and many a generation.

Mrs. Merivale and her niece were awaiting the arrival of the newcomer in the drawing room of the Manor, a delicious old-fashioned room which seemed to hold in its atmosphere a fragrance and charm left by those men and women of bygone days who had lived and loved, suffered and grieved here long ago. From the bow window, whose low window seats were Daphne's favorite abiding place, the eyes wandered over a view which Mrs. Merivale often declared was unsurpassed in the whole of the British Isles. The garden was in the foreground—a velvet lawn and beds and shrubberies which in a few months would be a blaze of rhododendrons.

"DEATH IN THE POT."

"Death in the pot," That sentence condenses the story of a tragedy. A little family gathering. A fine dinner cooked in the kitchen. From the bow window, whose low window seats were Daphne's favorite abiding place, the eyes wandered over a view which Mrs. Merivale often declared was unsurpassed in the whole of the British Isles. The garden was in the foreground—a velvet lawn and beds and shrubberies which in a few months would be a blaze of rhododendrons.

If the stomach is diseased it is like the poisonous kettle, which taints everything that goes into it. The symptoms are irregular appetite, undue fullness after eating, distressed feeling in the stomach, of fluttering and sinking sensations, palpitation, dizziness, ringing in ears, sour or bitter risings and constipation. Not all these symptoms may be present at the same time, but any of them show disease in the digestive or alimentary tract.

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But beyond the garden was broken wooded ground, which sloped with a certain steepness to the west, and the world, a level plain of pasture and woodland, stretched in a wide infinity of space to the blue hills in the distance, which gave one a sense of brightness almost comparable to the sea.

From her advantage ground in the window Daphne could see the bend in the drive on the far side of the house, and presently she sprang to her feet, exclaiming:

"The carriage has just turned into the drive. Shall you get up from the sofa?"

"Yes." A little tremblingly Mrs. Merivale rose, and it seemed both to her and Daphne as if only a few seconds had ticked by upon the clock, and the drawing room door opened, and when Mr. Merivale's wife said cheerily: "Here she is—very tired and very glad to be at home."

"My dear child," she exclaimed, putting her arms out to the stranger and drawing her face down to be kissed—and only Daphne noticed the little rasp of surprise in her aunt's gentle voice.

"This is Daphne," Mrs. Merivale added, "our dear niece. Daphne, you know her through her letters already, and now you and she must be like sisters."

"Yes—indeed, like sisters," the new comer spoke for the first time, and as she bent and kissed Daphne's cheek, the girl felt a bewildered sense of being in a highland, or the newcomer was so surprising, so wholly unlike what she had expected. This tall, slender, young woman was so very different from their preconceived ideas of Denis' widow. They had pictured as small and fair, very childlike and clinging to her hair—all enhanced by the dead black of the gown she wore—were unbecomingly striking and very lovely. But it was a woman, not a frightened, lonely child, who stood looking from Mrs. Merivale to Daphne with wistful, tear-filled eyes, and Daphne felt as if she had to read just all her ideas with a suddenness that was very disconcerting.

"You are going to stay to-day, aren't you?" Daphne asked, how very very good. "It has all been so dreadful," she shivered, "the terrible time in Australia, and then the shipwreck. This peaceful place is like a haven of refuge, and I can't tell you how thankful I am to be here."

To kindly Mrs. Merivale the words seemed touchingly true; and Daphne readily tried to thrust out of her mind an intruding thought that they had a ring of insincerity.

"I feel as if I had really come home," she said, "and I am so glad to see you, and Denis." Her accents faltered—"Denis said he would try and detain me to you. But perhaps I shall disappoint you, perhaps, I have disappointed you already." Her voice shook most effectively over these last words, and her own mind Nina was saying triumphantly:

"That was a master stroke." "Dear Denis, don't describe you very well," Denis' mother answered a little shakily, her eyes wandering over the tall figure, and resting finally on the beautiful face. "I imagined you would be very small, and fair, scarcely more than a child."

"To Denis' mind, even the effective tremor of the voice, 'I always seemed little and young. It was his dear way to call me 'little sweetheart,' even though I am not really very little. Will you please forgive me for not being exactly what you expected? I will do my best to be a good daughter all the same."

It was not in vain that during a course of varied education Nina Mansfield had to use both eyes and voice, and to the fascination of both, Mrs. Merivale yielded at once. "You yourself will soon obliterate the picture of a weak, little girl," she said, "and you will be a daughter to us and a sister to Daphne."

"Yes," Daphne and the newcomer left the room together. "I expected a little frightened girl younger than myself, and instead of that, a queen has come."

"Hugh, I am glad you have driven over tonight. I wanted you to see Marjory—to know—how you

like her." Daphne was alone on the December evening two days later, when her lover entered the drawing room at Demberton Manor, and he drew her into his arms and kissed her gently, before answering her remark. He was tall and good looking, brown eyed and fair haired, and if there were indications of weakness in his sensitive mouth, the general charm of the man made one overlook any shortcomings. His voice and smile never failed to endear Hugh Brentwood to his many patients, and since his coming to Stanhurst as assistant to the local practitioner, Doctor Barry, the practice had more than doubled itself. His cleverness alone was not responsible for that satisfactory result, though he was undoubtedly a man of unusual ability. But, as one of his village patients put it, he has "a way with him," and it was this characteristic that won the hearts of men, women and children, and chiefly contributed to the great popularity of the young doctor. His engagement to the Merivales' niece added to the practice in October, they were hoping and planning that their marriage should take place then Hugh should have achieved his ambition and obtained a practice in the large town of Radminster.

"Why do you hesitate in speaking of young Mrs. Merivale?" he questioned. "Does it mean that you don't like the little new cousin?" "She is not very little. And she is very sweet to me," Daphne evaded her lover's question, and glanced away from his face into the glowing depths of the fire. "I just want you to see her and give me your opinion about her. I like to know your opinion about everything," she added, evasively. They were alone in the drawing room waiting for the others to assemble for dinner and Hugh put his arm around her and drew her nearer to him again.

"No one could help being sweet to you," he said, "you are such a dear little soul. Perhaps she feels, as I do, what a restful personality you possess. It always rests me." (To be Continued)

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CLEANS AND DISINFECTS
THIS LYE IS ABSOLUTELY PURE, THEREFORE TOTALLY SAFE FOR THE SKIN. IT IS IMPURE AND HIGHLY ADULTERATED LYES NOW SOLD.

Canadian Shells Help in Drive

That the Canadian shell manufacturers are doing vitally important services in support of the great offensive just begun by the British, French and Canadian forces in the west, is indicated by the way in which they are now helping to feed the British guns, and the success of the allies depends on the sustained effectiveness of their artillery. Canadian workshops are producing one million empty shells per month and 14,444 shells per day. The fixed ammunition. The latter will be increased to 50,000 per day in the near future.

"Disappointed again." "How now?" "This fellow told me he was going to show me the beauties of the town?" "Well, didn't he?" "The meat market and office buildings. I was prepared to see some feminine loveliness."

Hoax—I wonder where they get their submarine crews? "Joax—Dunno, but I suppose in the low dives would be a good place to look for 'em."

As Kipling Would Say It "If Rudyard Kipling had been going to say anything in verse about a hod carrier or plasterer, he would say: "He milled 'neath the mortar of mangled moisture."

"That old grouch certainly had his living room appropriately decorated." "How was it done?" "Mostly in fretwork."

When a political party holds a love feast, that indicates it hasn't much of a chance.

What Britain Has Done

American Paper Pays a Splendid Tribute to Britain's Part in the War

The Wall Street Journal gives a very striking answer to the question: What has Great Britain done? It points out that while her navy, her financial credit and a small expeditionary force were put at the disposal of the allies, she has swept the seas of German commerce, placed upwards of a million men in the field, and cost another two millions in readiness; has lent her allies more than \$2,000,000,000 and has conquered every German colony except the Cameroons. Continuing, the Wall Street Journal says:

By her own enlightened system of colonial government, the Boers have wiped out the German colony in Southwest Africa, the French Canadian has cleared the German frontier, the Irish are, characteristically, fighting in the thickest of the fray, and the supposed seditious Hindus and Mohammedans are cleaning up all the German political gains in Turkish Asia. And there is more than that if it were not for the heroic mastery of the seas, where would our own export trade be? Even with our own shipping, our own trade, which our shortsighted politicians grudge to the allies, because Germany is in no position to receive it, would prevent accidents? We must not expect the inviolability of treaties and the flights of neutral and peaceful nations, but in the face of the plain question of advantage to our present and future interests, can we ask ourselves, with any show of consistency or propriety, What has Great Britain done?

Do You Think of Safety

Get the Safety Habit and Pass It Along for the Benefit of Others

When you leave your home for your day's work, do you remember that constant care is necessary? Do you, when you arrive at the office, factory, or shop, bear in mind your own safety and that of others? To think first of safety means consideration for others, and the lives spared and fewer vacant chairs.

Most accidents can be prevented, but what is each one of us doing to prevent accidents? We must not expect that care will be taken for our safety and never take thought for that and all.

It is estimated that a man's average earning power is \$700 per annum. Some of us receive more and some less, but whatever we earn each year will be reduced after a serious accident and will be stopped by death.

What, then, you ask about it? The obvious thing to do is to learn safety—to insist upon others doing their work in the safe way—to point out to the proper officials unsafe practices and unsafe machines—to take no chances. It may seem unimportant to plan your safety for each year's toll of life and limb? Get the safety habit and pass it along as an heritage to the children.—Bulletin by Ontario Safety League.

Preparing for Spring

Home Gardens and Vacant Lots Should Have Autumn Cultivation

Custom or habit alone explains the fact that the home gardener almost universally leaves his garden plot in a neglected condition until spring. No attempt is made to prepare for the next season's planting.

If the farmer were to follow this system, the results would be disastrous. In the spring he would find himself with wet and heavy land, would be unable to work it and the delay would mean late crops, if any at all.

The garden should be dug in autumn, leaving the earth loose. If new soil is to be added, the soil should be turned under a depth of four inches to ensure rotting. Vines, dead leaves, or weeds should be burned, and the ashes, together with a quantity of good stable manure, if available, should be dug well in.

The results of attention to his land in the autumn will fully repay the home gardener in the saving of time in the spring and in increased production.

The amount of prize money for officers and men of the navy which has been accumulated since the war is said by the Morning Post to be \$20,000,000. None of this has been distributed, and the Post makes the complaint that purchases by the government of confiscated cargoes deprives the navy of prize money.

The Man—If you are so forgetful, how is it you remember me? The Girl—Lots of times I remember you. Little things when the big ones escape my notice.

For Rural Fire Prevention

Suggestions For Reducing Fire Loss on the Farm and in the Village

Farmers and villagers should be among the most active of fire protectors. While most villages have some fire fighting system, few have paid departments. Living isolated from auto pumping fire engines, chemists, and other apparatus, and fire alarm boxes, the farmer or the villager must constitute himself an individual fire department. It is in the autumn and winter when the stoves, the open fireplaces and the kerosene lamps come into use that the fire danger is greatest. Eternal vigilance is the price of safety.

Many country and village homes have a "store room" into which, during the cold months, rubbish and debris are thrown indiscriminately. Newspapers, rags, old clothes, etc., constituting the most inflammable collection, are stored in the store room, usually the worst—from the fire protection standpoint—in the house. Most villages use the kerosene lamp or the tallow candle, and the store room is a tall narrow white structure in the cellar or store room. The lamp or candle is put down, a rat runs out and in the excitement, especially if a woman is present, the light is frequently knocked over and a blaze of flame is the result. Water is hard to get, and the farmer or villager is powerless when the fire develops.

During the summer, English sparrows carry nest-making material into cracks and crannies, building nests of mud, straw, twigs and feathers. Chimney sweeps, residing in the stacks, knock the mortar from the bricks and make holes through which sparks find their way to the sparrows' nest. A mysterious fire results, generally on the coldest night of the year.

All these evils should be examined before the fires are lighted in autumn. Water should be drawn at night and placed in pails where it will not freeze. Roads should be examined and cleared of curling shingles and other spark carriers. The store room should be the most carefully kept room in the house. Flats, mice and squirrels should be cleared out. Lanterns should be kept in a safe place, and the most of them should be kept in a safe place. A dirty, short-wicked lantern, full of oil, is a bad fire hazard.

All dead herbage should be removed from the house and outbuildings. Sparks travel far on a winter gale and, alighting on dry herbage, cause dangerous fires. Most persons who have large yards could well afford to build a small furnace of brick, covered with wire netting, and thus burn the refuse without danger. Smoking about farms should be prohibited and lanterns placed where they cannot kick them over. At all times, lanterns should be kept in a safe place. A small electric torch is a good thing to have in the house, and the covered and placed out of the reach of small children. No member of the family should search in cupboards or drawers with a match or a lighted candle. It is imperative rule which is frequently violated.

The foregoing cautions may seem simple but are frequently forgotten. It is the unusual that often happens. Teachers in village and country schools should educate the children to think of the dangers. One's shrewd eye is as good as a fire department.

If Any Are Left

A Reuters dispatch from Amsterdam says a Herin telegram received by Emperor Wilhelm has decided that the uniform of the German army in peace time will be of a grey color, the same color used in time of war.

Things Rosy in Germany
The number of bankruptcies in Germany from July to the end of last year was 981, as compared with 1,608 during the same period of last year, according to the German News Agency announces.

Photographer's Assistant—Mrs. Van Pelt says that her portrait doesn't look like her. Photographer—Complain, does she? She ought to be grateful.

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Note and Comment

The war is costing Canada
about \$18,000,000 a month, and
the National debt is now \$722,
111,419, an increase of over
\$200,000,000 since 1915.

The revenue for last year
shows an increase of \$44,828,528
over that of 1915.

A woman in Kansas City
asks that her daughter be com-
mitted to the insane hospital
because she persistently refuses
to wear clothes enough to keep
her warm. If this is an
evidence of insanity, the hos-
pitals for the insane will have
to be enlarged abnormally.

Even the pessimist may get a
certain amount of pleasure out
of denying himself a little hap-
piness.

Would you say that because
a man is an echo of his wife he
is merely a hollow mockery?

A French business man, who
is at present serving in the
army, says that the following
lines are very popular with the
soldiers:

You have two alternatives;
either you are mobilized or you
are not. If you are not you
have nothing to worry about.

If you are, you have two al-
ternatives; either you are in
camp or at the front. If you
are in camp you have nothing
to worry about.

If you are at the front, you
have two alternatives; either
you are in reserve or you are
on the firing line. If in reserve
you have nothing to worry
about.

If you are on the fighting line
you have two alternatives; you
scrap or you don't. If you don't
you have nothing to worry
about.

If you get hurt you have two
alternatives; either you recover
or you don't. If you recover
you have nothing to worry
about.

If you don't you have done
with worry forever.

The one time a woman's aim
is true is when she throws bou-
quets at herself.

That Russia fully expects to
stay in the portions of Asiatic
Turkey conquered by her troops
in the war is shown by the fact
that the Russian government
plans to build a railroad from
Batam to Trebizond, the Black
Sea port recently wrested from
the Turks. The new line is to
be of the regular Russian gauge
and will, as far as possible, run
along the foot of the mountains
and follow the coast bordering
the Black Sea. In spite of the
difficulties to be encountered,
Russian engineers are confident
that they will have the new
road ready within six months.

It's one thing to follow ad-
vice, but quite another to catch
up.

The Ford is my Car,
I shall not want another.

It maketh me to lie down in
wet places,

It soileth my soul,

It leadeth me into deep wat-
ers,

It leadeth me into paths of
ridicule for it name's sake

It prepareth a breakdown for
me in the presence of
nine enemies.

Yea, though I run through
the valleys, I am towed
up the hill.

I fear great evil when it is
with me.

Its rods and its engines dis-
comfort me,

It anointeth my face with oil.

Its tank runneth over,

Surely to goodness if this
thing follow me all the
days of my life, I shall
dwell in the house of the
insane for ever.

—The Sussex Patrol.

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Irrigation Farmer Gets Big Crop

Robert Comer, one of the Colorado irrigationists who settled near Basano a year ago last spring, has good reason to congratulate himself upon his decision to take up irrigated land in Southern Alberta. He has just threshed 70 acres of wheat which yielded an average of 51 bushels to the acre. Five acres of wheat grown on land that was planted to potatoes a year ago yielded an average of 65 bushels per acre. All of this land had been fall irrigated.

Minard's Liniment for sale everywhere.

A Poser

Preocious Offspring—Pa, may I ask just one more question?

Patient Peter—Yes, my son. Just one more.

Preocious Offspring—Well, then, pa, how is it that the night falls, but it's only the day that breaks?

Inappropriate Costume

"I think you'd better get quiet, and people will cover our quarrels with the cloak of charity."

"I don't approve of the cloak of charity worn with pants beneath."

WOMEN FROM 45 to 55 TESTIFY

To the Merit of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound during Change of Life.

Westbrook, Me.—"I was passing through the Change of Life and had pains in my back and side and was so weak I could hardly do my housework. I have taken Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and it has done me a lot of good. I will recommend your medicine to my friends and give you permission to publish my testimonial."

Testimonial—Mrs. LAWRENCE MARTIN, 12 King St., Westbrook, Maine.

Manston, Wis.—"At the Change of Life I suffered with pains in my back and loins until I could not stand. I also had night-sweats so that the sheets would be wet. I tried other medicine but got no relief. After taking one bottle of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound I began to improve and I continued its use for six months. The pains left me, the night-sweats and hot flashes grew less, and in one year I was a different woman. I know I have to thank you for my continued good health ever since."

—Mrs. M. J. BROWNELL, Manston, Wis.

The success of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, made from roots and herbs, is unparalleled in such cases. If you want special advice write to Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co. (confidential) Lynn, Mass. Your letter will be opened, read and answered by a woman, and held in strict confidence.

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Money in Livestock

Excellent Plan to Interest Farmers in Livestock Industry

It is generally recognized that although grain growing may produce immediate profits, the safe and sound basis of agriculture in Western Canada, as everywhere else, is stock-raising. Although herds grow rapidly after the first few years, it takes a little capital to make a proper start, and many farmers continue growing grain as their main industry because they do not feel able to wait the several years necessary before a herd of stock can be built up. To assist farmers in this predicament, and also incidentally to assist themselves through improved business conditions, business men at certain points have organized to raise capital for the purchase of livestock, which is advanced to farmers with an opportunity to pay it back out of the proceeds. At Lehigh, the organization has now placed 27 animals with settlers in that district, and the results show that farmers who took advantage of this opportunity are now making good money from the milk, cream, and natural increase which they are able to market. Their payments are being met regularly, and the livestock industry is being placed on a sound footing in the district.

A Determined Woman

Finally Found a Food That Helped Her

"When I first read of the remarkable effects of Grape-Nuts food, I determined to see if it would help a western woman. At that time there was none kept in this town, but my husband ordered some from a commercial traveler.

"I had been greatly afflicted with sudden attacks of cramps, nausea, and vomiting. Tried all sorts of medicines and physicians, but obtained only temporary relief. As soon as I began to use Grape-Nuts the groups disappeared and have not returned."

"My old attacks of sick stomach were a little slower to yield, but by continuing the food, that trouble has disappeared entirely. I am today perfectly well, can eat anything and everything I wish, without paying the penalty that I used to pay. I could not keep house without Grape-Nuts."

"My husband was so delighted with the benefits I received that he has been recommending Grape-Nuts to his customers and has built up a very large trade on the food. He sells it to many of the leading physicians of the county, who recommend Grape-Nuts very generally. There is some satisfaction in using a really scientifically prepared food. "Thank you."

Name given by Canadian Postum Co., Windsor, Ont.

Never read the above letter? A new one appears from time to time. They are genuine, true and full of human interest.

Agricultural Education

So popular has the course in practical agriculture become that the department for admission into Alberta and Saskatchewan schools of agriculture promises to exceed the accommodation. There are at present three of these schools, located at Vermilion, Okla., and Carleton Place, Ont., and Carleton Place, Ont. Farmers' boys and girls may attend the schools during the winter months at a very nominal cost, and are given practical instruction in many matters of great value to them in their farm life. The boys are taught the work of soil cultivation, soil and seed selection, detection of noxious weeds and how to eradicate them, the use and care of farm implements, gardening, etc., and a general knowledge of livestock, dairying, and all branches of husbandry. The girls are instructed in domestic science, cooking, sewing, household management, and kindred subjects. The object of the schools is to turn out professors of agriculture who are to be the backbone of the work is reserved for agricultural colleges, but to fit boys and girls to be farmers and farmwives.

HOW'S THIS?

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.

We, F. J. CLEMENTY & CO., Toronto, O., the undersigned, have known F. J. Clementy for the last 15 years, and believe him perfectly honest in all business transactions and financially able to carry out any obligations made by him.

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Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Testimonials sent free. Price 50 cents per bottle. Sold by all druggists.

Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

"What didst thou do to vote last election?"

"Do I have to tell?" asked Farmer Cornsnot.

"Not if you don't want to."

"Well, I'd rather tell you it's a secret."

The fellow that I vote for always turns out to be such disappointments that the first I know there isn't going to be no demand for my vote whatever."

The Oil for the Athlete—In rubbing down, the athlete can find nothing finer than Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil. It renders the muscles and sinews pliable, takes the soreness out of them and strengthens them for strains that may be put upon them. It stands pre-eminent for this purpose and athletes who for years have been using it can testify to its value as a lubricant.

Musical Genius

"Your daughter seems to be an accomplished musician."

"Yes, indeed; she can play any sort of a music her friends want to dance."—Detroit Free Press.

Says Simon Sink,
"I do not think
I could much stouter be,
Old Dutch you know,
A healthy glow
Has always given me."



MADE IN CANADA

Prohibition Spreads

North Carolina went dry a few days ago. It was the nineteenth state to endorse prohibition. The others are: Washington, Oregon, Idaho, Arizona, Colorado, Kansas, Oklahoma, North Dakota, Tennessee, Arkansas, Alabama, Georgia, North Carolina, Virginia, West Virginia, Maine, Mississippi and South Carolina.

Minard's Liniment Co., Limited.

Dear Sirs—I can recommend MINARD'S LINIMENT for Rheumatism and Sprains, as I have used it for both with excellent results.

Yours truly,

T. R. LAVERS,

St. John.

Artist's wife (during quarrel)—

You were quite obscure before I married you.

Artist—You didn't have any trouble in finding me.

Editor—Miss Oldgirl says she has just reached the marriageable age.

Mother—You don't say. I wonder what delayed her.

Indians Will Not Starve This Winter

Reports received by the department of Indian affairs from its various agencies in the north and west indicate that the Indians may be expected to pass the coming winter with as little degree of hardships as possible under the circumstances of decreased demand for fur trapping.

Last winter some assistance was given to the Indians in the north to secure provisions and traps to catch food, this being required necessary on account of the fact that the fur trading companies did not make the usual advances for the winter trapping.

Reports are to the effect that food is very plentiful this fall, and that there will be no fear of hardship from starvation to those who desire to trap for food purposes.

Work is also said to be assured in many localities to all industrious and able-bodied men.

When Holloway's Corn Cure is applied to a corn or wart it kills the roots and the callosity comes out without injury to the flesh.

Shell Game

Mrs. Greene—Here's a most interesting article, Ezra, entitled "The Money Question in a Nutsell."

Ezra Greene—I know all 'bout it, Hannah; the pea ain't there at all when y'ek pick the shell up, darn 'em!



Make Monday Ironing Day

LET Sunlight Soap do your washing Monday morning and you can do the light ironing Monday afternoon.

The rub, rub, rub at the board has no place in the Sunlight way—so with the hardest part of washing cut out you'll feel like making it a good day's work by doing at least part of the ironing.

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Missed Something

Mrs. McGreevy was a dinner guest one evening where a noted explorer was the attraction. Being of a somewhat languid turn of mind, she paid more attention to her dinner than to the conversation. After dinner was over she turned to one of the guests and asked:

"What was that tiresome old explorer talking about?"

"Progressive Patagonia," was the reply.

"Really?" asked Mrs. McGreevy with sudden interest. "And how do you play it?"

Minard's Liniment Relieves Neuralgia.

Finland has an area of 144,249 miles, of which one-seventh is water on account of the innumerable lakes in the interior. At the end of 1914 its population amounted to 2,166,700, divided among eight lands, or governments. Of the population of the Grand Duchy, less than one-sixth live in the cities, of which there are only fifteen having more than 5,000 inhabitants. Helsinki, the largest city, has a population of 164,000.

In a great hurry he took the following telegram to a telegraph office: "Mrs. Brown, Liverpool street—I announce with grief the death of Uncle James. Come quickly to read will; I believe we are his heirs—John Back." The clerk having counted the words, said: "There are two too many, sir."

"All right; cut out 'with grief,'" was the answer.

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Lower Rates for Grain

Committee Dealing With Ocean Transport for Crop

The sub-committee of the cabinet appointed recently to deal with ocean transport for the Canadian crop and secure lower rates, has called through its secretary, W. Sanford Evans, for the rates on wheat existing between Great Britain and the other countries competing with Canada. The purpose is to ascertain whether Canada is being discriminated against at the rates. Only in such a contingency, it is said, does the committee consider that it can have any regulating powers.

It is stated that the rates from Australia and the United States are practically the same as from Canada, which the rate from India is slightly lower on account of the smaller demand for transport at present, but that the rate from Argentina is considerably higher than from Canada.

The committee holds that, unless the rates are equalized against Canada, it is difficult to say whether the increase is borne by the producer here or by the consumer in England. As to securing sufficient tonnage at reasonable rates, it is claimed that Britain can not be expected to command ships for wheat from Canada. It is contended Britain is not purchasing the wheat crop as a whole, and is ready to secure her wheat supply, wherever she can get it more cheaply, with preference, other things being equal, for the dominions. It is contended that Great Britain could not have shipped for Canada she would have to do the same for Australia and the other dominions.

TORTURING SCIATICA

A Severe Sufferer Cured Through the Use of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills

These darting pains—pains like red hot needles plunging through the flesh—in the thigh; perhaps down the legs to the ankles—these sciatica. None but the victim can realize the torture, but the sufferer need not grow discouraged for there is a cure in Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. These pills make new rich red blood, which soothes and strengthens the feeble nerves, and thus frees them from pain and restores the sufferer to cheerful activity. I will give the statement of Mr. Thos. D. Lester, Wapella, Saskatchewan, who says: "I was attacked with sciatica, which gradually grew worse until I was confined to my bed; for three months I had to be shifted and turned in my bed as I was utterly unable to help myself. I suffered the greatest torture from the fierce, stabbing pains which accompanied the sciatica. I consulted several doctors and took drugs and medicines until I was nauseated, but without getting any benefit, and I began to believe I would be a continuous sufferer. Finally I was prevailed upon to use Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, and after taking them for about six weeks I was able to get out of bed. From that on I kept steadily improving and until I was free from this terrible and painful malady."

The most stubborn cases of sciatica will yield to Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. If the treatment is persisted in. These pills are sold by all medicine dealers or will be sent by mail at 50 cents a box or six boxes for \$2.50 by addressing The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

The Daily Grind

The man on the farm wants to get into town so as to get rid of the "daily grind" of farm life.

The man in the city wants to get "back to the farm" to escape the "daily grind" of the city. And so it goes, everybody trying to escape their own grind. And yet no man ever makes success in life in any spot or place who was looking for a chance to escape the grind—Hoard's Dairyman.

Praises This Asthma Remedy.—A grateful user of Dr. J. D. Kellogg's Asthma Remedy writes that the only remedy that will give relief, though for thirteen years he had sought other help. Years of needless suffering may be prevented by using this wonderful remedy at the first warning of trouble. Use is simple, its cost is slight and it can be purchased almost anywhere.

Indefinite

Mrs. Snooker—Men make me tired. Mrs. Swayback—What's the matter now?

Mrs. Snooker—My husband saw Mrs. Keedick yesterday and I asked him what she had on, and he replied, "Oh, clothes."—From Stray Stories.

Minard's Liniment Cures Dandruff.

"You criticize us," said the Chinese visitor, "yet I see all your women have their feet bandaged."

"That is epidemic," it was explained to his gently, "which broke out in 1914. Those are called spats."

"You look blue and discouraged, old man."

"I'm not myself this morning."

"Well, that's nothing to feel so bad about."

GETTING BETTER AFTER SICKNESS

Nothing has ever equaled or compared with the medicinal fats in Scott's Emulsion to arrest the decline, invigorate the blood, strengthen the nervous system, aid the appetite and restore the courage of better health.

Scott's Emulsion is pure health-building food without harmful drugs.

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Giant Infant Industry

Moving Pictures Have a Splendid Influence For Good

The moving picture, our latest industry, is fast assuming giant proportions. Few appreciate its real magnitude and its influence on our present life and society. In New York alone statistics show more than 40,000 people in the industry. In the country at large these figures would easily reach 100,000, or one-tenth of our entire population. Eighteen thousand theatres are devoted to showing the picturization of the scenarios in the silent drama, and more than 15,000 persons daily attend a movie performance. One million dollars a day is said to pass into the box offices and 150,000 operate the machine for producing the films on the scenes.

Our last infant industry seems never to have worn shoddy clothes. It sprang into manhood at a bound, and its growth is tremendous daily. The success of the movies comes from the fact that the action is swift, tense, moving. It depicts all classes and conditions, not through the eyes of the dramatist, but through the truthful, never lying eye of the camera. The people realize that this is life in its stern realities, and conditions as they actually exist. Add to this the stimulating fact that it is always triumphant, that evil is always given the wages of sin, that truth is mighty and always prevails, and one sees why the moving pictures are a splendid influence and profitable investment.—Philadelphia Press.

Wise mothers who know the virtues of Mother Graves' Worm Exterminator or always have it at hand, because it proves its value.

Would There Have Been War?

Not infrequently we are told that if Great Britain had adopted conscription years ago this war would not have occurred. To this the anti-conscriptionist might retort that if Germany, France, Russia and Austria had abandoned conscription a few years ago there would have been no war. Nobody knows whether this particular war would have broken out when it did if Britain had been a militarist state, but there was some sooner or later, for the simple reason that the military position of Great Britain could not have altered the national and racial antagonism and the crazy German idea of world domination, which were the underlying causes of this struggle.—Victoria Times.

Headaches, sleeplessness and tired, draggy feelings soon disappear when you restore vigor to the exhausted nerves by using Dr. Chase's Nerve Food.

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Dr. Chase's Nerve Food

The introduction of the tobacco habit among the Chinese dates back only a few years, but it has spread throughout the country has been astonishingly rapid, so it is stated by Consul General Anderson at Hongkong. The cigarette habit is not confined to the male portion of the population. The females of all classes and ages, from years of age upward, indulge as freely and openly in cigarettes, and with as much apparent enjoyment, as do their brothers.

Women Who Are Millionaires

Vast Sums of Money Held by Small Groups of Women Capitalists

More than \$1,000,000 of wealth is actually in the hands of American women, if the best statistics are trustworthy, and 40 of them alone direct, manage and hold the purse strings of more than \$725,000,000. Nearly every state in the United States has its rich women, known locally, and yet utterly unknown to the newspaper readers of the country. Statistics show, says the Baltimore American, that their combined holdings go well over the \$1,000,000,000 mark, and the potent element of the situation is that the richer carry with them the influence over the big business of the nation. The mails are overflowing with letters to the great women of the money world. Many of them are from professional beggars, but a vast majority are earnest appeals for help. Chief among the women who hold the reins upon money is Mrs. Mary W. Harriman. It took Edward R. Harriman less than 100 words—99 to be exact—to transfer his entire estate to his wife without the slightest restriction as to what she should do with it or how she should do it. There have been many cases of inheritance where no such free hand was given, and they have not been included in this list. For instance, Mrs. John Jacob Astor inherited a huge estate, saddled with the condition that she should not take another husband and still enjoy the full fruits of the Astor fortune. In marked contrast with this situation the Harrimans will place the widow in the control of 25,000 miles of railroad, gave her a dominating voice in the management of 50,000 miles of land, and made her the chief influence in the handling of 54,000 miles of sea routes.

Mrs. Sage was also given the custody of her millions without a string. The will gave her "without let or hindrance" the millions that had been locked up in Wall street. It did not require any act of law or any grudging act of man to make Mrs. Hetty Green the mistress of her destiny. She inherited \$1,000,000 from her father, the late Edward Robinson, and an aunt added \$4,000,000 later. But Mrs. Green made the bulk of her estate herself. She never married and went into the marts of money. There she became a daily worker and no man ever kept with more care and added with more zeal than she to her estate and increased it.

Mrs. Helen Gould Shepard has done something of the same kind on a different scale. She had about \$10,000,000 to start, and she invested her money with judgment and kept the increase. She did not come personally in contact with the men who made money, their stock in trade, but she inherited many a big deal that was made possible by both her judgment and money. Part of the Vanderbilt fortune came to her from her husband, Whitney, who holds in art an outlet for her activities. She found her estate quite sufficient without requiring any increase and proceeded to devote her energy to sculpture. In her little workshop she may often be found making some new figure.

An Always Ready Pill—To those of regular habit medicine is of little consequence, but for the majority of men are not of regular habit. The worry and cares of business prevent it, and out of the irregularities of life comes dyspepsia, indigestion, liver and kidney troubles as a protest. The rundown system demands a corrective and there is none better than Parmenter's Vegetable Pills. They are simple in their composition and can be taken by the most delicately constituted.

Australia's Example

Australia has a population of less than 5,000,000; Canada, over 8,000,000. Therefore, the contribution of the island continent to the war is all the more creditable in comparison. She has sent 75,000 overseas and 24,000 horses. Beside this, 40,000 troops are in camp there waiting their turn to go forward, while 8,000 are doing duty on home service. An added expense has been the conveying of her troops across seas with her own battleships. Over all this the determination of the government to continue to train, equip and transport to the seat of war every available man presenting himself for service who succeeds in passing the necessary medical examination. It would be difficult to find a more gratifying record of loyalty to the empire. Canada is doing well; her antipodean sister is doing better. Hamilton Spectator.

Minard's Liniment Cures Burns, Etc.

Wealth of Canada

Canada is generally recognized as one of the foremost power producing countries of the world. Her numerous rivers have immense potentialities and within the area of population reasonably well settled, and in the near future, is estimated to have water power possibilities aggregating 17,764,000 horsepower, while some 1,713,183 horsepower of the same amount has already been developed. Comparison with other countries establishes the Canadian as being among the industrial nations; power development on such a scale is significant of corresponding industrial activity.

MOTHERS

REMEMBER! The ointment you put on your child's skin gets into the system just as surely as food the child eats. Don't let impure fats and mineral coloring matter (such as many of the cheap ointments contain) get into your child's blood! ZAM-BUK is purely herbal. No poisonous coloring. Use it always, 50c. Box at All Druggists and Stores.

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Over 16,000 Farmer Shareholders are behind you when you come grain to the WINNIPEG GRAIN CO. LTD., 160 McDermott St., Winnipeg, or 100 Douglas, Calgary.

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We've bidden good-bye to life in a cage, we're finished with pushing a pen; They're pumping us full of bellicose rage, they're showing us how to be men, We're only beginning to find ourselves — we're wonders of brain and nerve — But when we go back to our Cissy jobs, Oh, what are we going to do?

For shoulders curved with the counter stoop will be carried erect and square, And faces, white from the office light will be bronzed by the open air; And we'll walk with the stride of a new-born pride, with a new-found joy in our eyes.

Sorrowful men who have dined with death under the naked skies.

For some of us sink in a chiffon shop, and some of us teach in a school; Some of us help with the seat of our pants to polish an office stool; The merits of somebody's soap or jam some of us seek to explain —

But all of us wonder what we'll do when we have to go back again.

—Robert W. Service.

Statistics show

That for the first six months of 1916 there was a big increase in fire losses in Canada.

Your home or place of business may be included in the losses of the next six months.

Better have them insured at once and not run the risk of being left penniless, in case of a fire.

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FROM THE FRONT

J. A. Connah writes under date of Dec. 21st: Didn't get leave to spend Xmas in Blighty as I expected, but we are close to a little town, when in rest camp, where there is a market twice a week, and we have got all the turkeys, geese, etc, we want for our spread tomorrow, (if we're not called to the trenches.) Seen Jack Cross yesterday for the first time, he has been out here since May.

He wishes to be remembered to Monitor friends.

Never mind what the papers say, we are always glad of parcels of anything, in the trenches.

Have not received either of your last two yet.

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EFFECTIVE MEANS FOR REMOVAL OF GERMAN SUBMARINE PERIL

WILL NOW NO LONGER CONSTITUTE A MENACE

New Means of Dealing with Enemy Submarines Have Been Evolved by Great Britain, and it is Believed That These Methods will Revolutionize Navy Warfare

Great Britain has put into effective operation means of combating the submarine, which, according to official reports to the United States, already have resulted in a loss estimated at between 50 and 70. The report declares that the British admiralty confidently believes it has devised the German undersea craft. New modes of offensive and defence that may revolutionize navy warfare have been adopted, and high British naval officers are of the opinion that unless the effectiveness of the submarine is increased it will no longer constitute a menace.

According to the reports destruction of captured submarines has actually had been reported several weeks ago, and it was regarded as possible that the number has reached 70. A dinner was given recently in London which was attended by high government officials in celebration of the destruction of the 50th underwater enemy.

While the greatest secrecy is maintained the United States has information concerning the methods which have been employed. A submarine telephone has been developed by which it is possible to detect the approach of a submarine by sound from observation boats or stations placed off shore connected with points on the mainland.

Huge nets have been stretched across the channels through which the submarines may pass, and in open waters, near steamship lanes or in the vicinity of warships,

nets suspended with floats have been cast. Then patrols congregate and when the submarine comes to the surface, it is instantly caught, it is destroyed by gun fire or captured.

A special type of mine also has been devised which is laid in large fields that have proved particularly dangerous to submarines approaching at anchor.

The German methods of supplying submarines with oil from concealed ships along the coast has been disposed of. This compels the boats to return to their bases at more frequent intervals.

Aeroplanes are exceedingly useful in locating submarines. They can detect one even 100 feet beneath the surface. It is a habit of the German submarines to slip into favorable position along the steamer lanes and lie on the bottom for long periods, rising occasionally for observation. As the batteries are not exhausted, the boats not being in motion, only a brief stay on the surface is necessary to renew the air supply and take a hurried observation. Undersea boats adopting these tactics have been the most difficult to detect. The aeroplanes have shown their great usefulness as the comparatively shallow water along much of the British coast makes it possible for the aeroplane operators to see the ships lying on the bottom. The aeroplanes note the position and notify the nearest destroyer or patrol boat, which speeds to the spot and waits for the submarine to rise.

A Good Ally

A Frenchman Pays a Tribute to the Navy of Britain

I write this letter from one of the British warships which the Germans declared they should be attacking. The encounters which cost them so dear. The admiral commanding it is relating the phases of the battle and showing me the parts of the vessel which were hit by the enemy's projectiles. They only damaged the ship, and today it is completely repaired and ready for a fresh fight. Around us is stationed under steam a wonderful fleet of the most formidable and mightiest units which prove to the world that Great Britain's naval renown has lost nothing of its legitimacy.

It is a great object lesson for me to be able to contemplate after seeing the British navy which has been over a part of our northern frontiers the navy which assures the freedom of our coasts, and the final restoration of Belgium to independence and fullness of its rights.

How I wish I could tell everything. Unfortunately, I am bound to much reserve and circumspection. But I need only hint what I must conceal will be witnessed.

It can no longer be concealed that the number of German submarines detected since the debut of their operations is very considerable.

One of the principal results of Great Britain's maritime action has been to render ineffective the attempted blockade which the Germans, in defiance of the laws of nations, are employing the most formidable naval weapon which science has placed in their hands.

Some of the submarines have had long experience of the sea and its battles could suggest have been taken. Skill, however, has not been enough to meet all the needs of the case. As surely the submarines of Admiral Tirpitz have not exhausted the list of their expedients. It is not difficult to show in attacking warships an audacity which their enemies were the first to recognize. The submarine becomes manifest in crimes against private individuals and the danger of their operations against themselves has become of its importance. The field of action is limited, their power of destruction meets barriers. The losses to which they are exposed, cannot indefinitely be made good.

The spectacle of the land army created by Lord Kitchener has raised my admiration of the resources and determination of the country which has inspired it. The spectacle of its naval forces, organized and led by sailors, who are heirs of the most memorable naval history, confirms my convictions that nothing will bring low or overcome the maritime effort of our mighty ally—Stephen Pichon.

Brutality of the Germans

Russian Soldiers Found With Their Tongues Cut

Russians charged the Germans with resuming the campaign of atrocities with which they sought to frighten the Poles at the beginning of the war, but in the present instance, in the three days' fight around the fortress of Novo Georgievsk, all the Russian wounded left on the battlefield were killed, according to Russian reports.

Moscow newspapers describe, giving names and details of reprisals, the affair near Vilkomir, northeast of Vlna. Half a company of Russians with three young officers were trapped by the Germans in a farm house August 6.

All the soldiers, numbering 204, were killed, says the Ruskoye Selo. "Some were found with their tongues cut out. The officers, Valdemar Kister, Sergius Ust and Emil Balaban, were especially ill-treated. Kister, though wounded and lying on the ground, was bayoneted several times and the last ferocious blow sent the bayonet through his left eye and head, into the ground. Balgan was bayoneted, but was waving and protesting when he was killed. The third officer was covered with bayonet wounds when found dead.

There was a tale told of a peasant found later tied to a tree. From his place he witnessed everything. Now that it is told, it is against the Germans, their committing terrible crimes in revenge for being forced to retreat."

Vacuum Fly Catcher

A New York man has put his vacuum cleaner and phonograph horn to use in the extermination of flies and mosquitoes. The phonograph horn is attached to the end of the hose leading from the electric vacuum. The vacuum is turned on, and the mouth of the horn is brought close to the insect the strong current of air sucks it down the tube to captivity in the canister.

Hoax—wonder where they get their news—But I suppose in the low dives would be a good place to look for em.

VIVID DESCRIPTION OF HOW THE BRITISH LOOK THE TOWN OF LOOS

ELABORATENESS OF THE GERMAN TRENCHES

Germans Fought Desperately and the Viciousness of Their Resistance Was Due to Their Rage Over the Loss of Their

Dugouts Which Cost Them so Much Labor

The scene of the British attack in the Lens region is a flat mining country—slag heaps, mine pits, ruined buildings, splintered and felled trees and earthworks for explosions—with slightly rising ground toward Loos and Lens.

Nothing is visible except the soft puffs of shrapnel bursting and the volumes of black smoke from British and German high explosive shells, marking the positions where British troops are organizing their guns and the Germans are preparing a new defensive line.

It is with infinite satisfaction to the British, who had long looked at the eye sore twin towers of the mining works at Lens, that they have taken their possession this German position.

The church at Loos which had been used as an observation post is a heap of stones as the result of the bombardment preceding the attack.

The normal population of Loos is ten thousand, and the town is crowded with families. Three hundred of these remained during the battle, taking shelter in the cellars of their wrecked, miserable homes. One old woman, who cooked for the Germans, is now cooking for the British.

As the skirmish line approached the town it saw six women and a child coming toward it in the midst of the battle. British soldiers turned away to rescue them, but they could get the women up some sort of shelter two of them were wounded.

The elaborateness and permanency of the German trenches indicated the apparent conviction of the Germans in the security of their lines. Dugouts of thirty feet deep, were cemented and contained electric lights and arm chairs. Some of them were impracticable even to high explosive shells of big calibre. The British bombardment of the trenches was so effective that the trenches to bits and battered the British trenches and traverses laid irregular piles of earth. Under such a falling of shells, the Germans to attempt to remain outside the dugouts or to try to man the machine guns or use the rifles.

When the artillery work was perfected the British infantry sprang over the parapets at a given moment. Sprung toward the German trenches they arrived almost without opposition. Then the German trenches were captured and the British soldiers were alive huddled in their caves. Some of the dugouts had been demolished and had in their fragments the German bodies mixed with the debris. Others had their openings blown in by shell explosions, and their occupants were scattered about the ruins.

When the British dugouts were dugout had been unharmed, the British soldiers, with bayonets fixed on their rifles, were waiting for the entrance to find the Germans still inside or perhaps just starting out.

All in the dugouts might surrender,

or, on the other hand, if a British soldier started to enter or even showed himself, he was received with a fusillade. In case of refusal to surrender, bombs were thrown into the dugout without the thrower or them exposing himself. The Germans surviving the explosion usually gave in, though not always, for some of them died to the last man.

Some incidents had a humorous as well as a tragic side. In these sudden encounters at close quarters, where the charging British met a German emerging from his dugout, the bayonet, bomb and even fists were sometimes brought into play in the ensuing melee.

It was difficult was the gathering and guarding of prisoners in such a confined space as their regular wrecked trenches. With rifles and bombs lying about, the Germans, even after capitulating, were likely to seize them and rush to the cover of a traverse trench or into a shell crater and renew the fight.

The Germans fought desperately and the viciousness of their counter-attacks apparently was due to rage over the loss of their comfortable dugouts, which had cost them so much painstaking labor and the unpleasant prospect of a winter in the mud building caves.

The rear of the army during the action presented a wondrous varied scene, which was the more concentrated because of the narrow front of the operations. There were the slightly wounded walking back, the steady tramp of fresh regiments going forward, processions of swift, smooth running motor ambulances, whose burdens would be back in England in 24 hours, longer and seemingly endless processions of powerful motor trucks loaded with shells to feed the hungry, ether-thundering unseen guns, troops of the reserves, the German beside the gorked roads, waiting their call, while the French population stood in their doorways and asked for the latest news.

At a place near the front a park of captured guns guarded by a pacing British soldier. The scene was more symbolic of success to inhabitants than to the parties of German prisoners. The distances of the last ranges of which they were fired before the British infantry engulfed them are chalked on some of the gun shields. Perhaps the most interesting trophy is a Russian machine gun taken by the Germans from the Russians. The machine gun was now retaken by the British.

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Big Irrigation Convention

Many Prominent Speakers to Deliver Address at Convention to Be Held at Bassano

In connection with the Western Canada Irrigation convention to be held at Bassano, Alta., Nov. 23 to 25, an excellent program of addresses has been arranged. Among the most prominent men who have signified their intention of attending the convention, and who have promised to speak are the following:

I. D. O'Donnell, supervisor of irrigation, U. S. reclamation service, Billings, Montana, "Better Farming." James Speckman, president United Farmers of Alberta, "The Farmer's View." W. H. Olin, agricultural commissioner, Denver & 140 Grande Railway, Denver Colorado, "Practical Irrigation."

E. A. Howe, dean faculty of agriculture, University of Alberta, Edmonton, "Agricultural Education in Alberta." J. T. Hinkle, third vice-president International Irrigation Congress, Herkimer, Oregon, "The Alfalfa Farmer."

W. L. Fairfield, superintendent Dominion Experiment Farm, Lethbridge, "Crop Rotations on Irrigated Land." William Young, controller of water rights, department of lands, Victoria, B.C., "The Success of Water Users Communities in B.C."

S. G. Porter, irrigation branch, department of the interior, Calgary, "The Basis of Successful Irrigation." Marjorie M. Goldie, instructor in household science, Alberta government, Olds, "Advance of household Science Training for Country Girls." W. E. Scott, deputy minister of agriculture, B.C. government, Victoria, B.C., "The Opportunities in British Columbia."

G. H. Hutton, superintendent Dominion Experimental Farm, Lacombe, "Grading up a Dairy Herd." Don H. Bark, formerly in charge of U. S. irrigation investigations in Idaho, "The Growing of Alfalfa." S. S. Dunham, vice-president United Farmers of Alberta, Lethbridge, "The Future of Irrigation in Southern Alberta."

D. J. Wylie, M.L.A., hon. president Cypress Hills Water Users' association, Maple Creek, Sask., "Live stock."

Stock

R. M. Winslow, secretary B.C. Fruit Growers' association, "Getting British Columbia Fruit to the Prairie Farmer."

Dr. J. G. Rutherford, C.M.G., superintendent agriculture and animal industry, C.P.R., Calgary, "Livestock on an Irrigated Farm." G. D. Walters, irrigation branch, department of the interior, Calgary, "Field Irrigation Investigation by the Interior Branch, Department of the Interior."

Others who have accepted invitations to be present and address the delegates are Hon. J. R. Brown, minister of agriculture, Saskatchewan; E. F. Drake, superintendent of irrigation, department of lands, British Columbia; P. H. Peters, commissioner of irrigation, department of the interior, Calgary; T. A. Hargrave, president, Cypress Hills Water Users' association, Saskatchewan; Asa B. Thompson, president, Oregon Irrigation Congress, Portland, Oregon; G. A. Marnoch, president Lethbridge Board of trade; J. S. Dennis, assistant to the president, C.P.R., etc.

The Hon. A. L. Sifton, premier of Alberta, will open the convention and deliver the opening address. The Hon. Duncan Marshall, minister of agriculture and president of the association, will be in the local board of control, will assist him.

Defect in Farming System

"Every farm in the United States should be an efficiently organized factory, busy the whole year round," declared Clarence A. Macdonald, in an address before the Farmers' National congress at Omaha. He added that the farmer should sell his products through co-operatives, which factories. Mr. Dillon declared that the fundamental weakness of the American farmer was in the fact that he is a failure to give profitable employment to the owner, the hired man and the family throughout the year.

Stocks of health now are being converted into an ingredient for explosives at a co-operative distillery at Foinfoine, France, which has been supplied with clean alcohol extracted from beet roots to government explosive factories, where it is used in the manufacturing of gunpowder.

New Air Weapon

Germans Are Perfecting a New Air Engine

The aerial torpedo invented by a Swedish officer and sold to Krupp may have been the first of the new air weapons but certainly it is not the finished article. The Swedish invention resembles a huge shell fitted with a turbine engine driven by gas pressure; the German air torpedo is more like an airship fitted with propellers driven by electric motors and controlled from a Zeppelin by wireless. The German aerial torpedo can, theoretically, remain in the air for three hours, and can be controlled from a distance of two miles. Both weapons are discharged from a tube like a water torpedo, but in the case of the German invention two propellers and two lifting screws are automatically started at the moment of discharge.

In shape, this torpedo of the air, which is about seven feet long, resembles the submarine weapon. It is composed of two cases, the outer is thin chrome nickel and the inner of material similar to that used in Zeppelins. About one-third of the space at the rear is occupied by an electric accumulator at the bottom, and an electric motor generator occupies the top. The machinery is controlled by Hertzian waves acting on the Telefunken system of wireless, and it is claimed that in the case of the two miles the air torpedo can be steered at will.

The air torpedo is inflated with water gas and compressed gas, but as it is heavier than the air, two lifting screws work under the body to keep the torpedo in the air while the motive power is supplied by propellers. Both screws and propellers are connected with the same shaft, which runs through the body of the torpedo.

When the air torpedo, after flying through the air, comes immediately over the selected target it is made to assume a vertical position, the lifting horizontal screws and propellers are stopped, and the torpedo dives to the ground, carrying a large quantity of high explosive charge at its nose. The charge explodes on contact like an ordinary shell, and it is said that in two torpedoes there is sufficient explosive force to destroy the tower of London.

Originally, these air torpedoes were destined to be carried exclusively by Zeppelins, but, owing to certain improvements it is now found they can be manipulated from warships. According to information, Germany purposes to use torpedoes of the air against the British fleet, and for that purpose small, swift craft, armed only with aerial torpedoes, building or have already been built.

Saskatchewan Fruits

The campaign carried on for several years by the board of trade at Saskatoon to induce small farmers to engage in fruit raising is beginning to have effect, and some of the best results of the campaign have resulted this season. These fruits include the usual hardy varieties, also some fine showings of plum, apple, cherries, and even grapes, of which some fine vines of the Concord variety have this year borne in the open air.

The vacancy in the position of statistician of the labor department has been filled by the appointment of Irree M. Stewart, who some time has been in the department.

Mr. Stewart succeeds Robert H. Coats, the new census commissioner. He is a native of Saskatchewan and graduated at Queen's and Columbia Universities.

Roar of French Guns

Uncanny Sensation as of the Under-ground Growling of Distant Volcano

The Cologne Gazette publishes the following account by the German author, Dr. George Wegner, of the terrible roar of the guns which the French attack in Champagne:

It is Friday morning. During the night we have been hearing the sound of distant guns, which in volume and duration exceeded anything experienced since we have been here. Yesterday evening the bombardment was exceptionally heavy. Then it died down towards midnight, but about 4 o'clock this morning it started afresh with the same intensity. It was the effect of a big scale bombardment, with shot following shot in one unbroken roll of thunder like the roll of drums.

One hour—two hours—four hours—still there was no end to it. The like of it has never been heard since the day when the first German advance passed like a storm over this section. Where is it? What does it mean?

The thunder can be heard from the better heard upon the hill than in the valley, so we went up to the top of the hill which rises outside the town. I have returned. It is now 11 a.m., and the guns are still thundering the extraordinary roar of a bombardment in the Argonne, which was already in progress when the attack on the Marie Therese field works. It has lasted from eight to eleven—three hours, and the other bombardment has already been going on more than twice as long.

The whole atmosphere is in a state of dull vibration. It seems as if one were standing on a floor of lead, and the ear, but as if one had the physical sensation of being shaken by air waves. It is as if the sound came up from unknown depths of the earth. Indeed, more than anything it is like the uncanny underground growling of a distant volcano in eruption, shaking the earth's crust for miles around, and making it tremble like a man in a fit of rage.

Large War Orders

Inquiries From Allies For Blankets, Overcoats, Etc.

Inquiries are being made by the different nations of the allies about the availability of overcoats, blankets, and other such equipment manufactured in Canada. The Canadian government is anxious to serve the Canadian government first and are at present busy with the home government's orders. They will be busy until December, but they will be able to make stock for other countries. Through the Red Cross Association an order for 100,000 blankets, worth probably \$300,000, has been placed with Canadian mills for the British government.

Mr. P. Hargrave of the Toronto Carpet Company has been negotiating with the Russian government for the purchase of a large quantity of carpets. There is no doubt that his orders will come to Canadians from Russia.

It is understood from other sources that the Russian government has also ordered several million dollars' worth of blankets. This order grants the assistance of the Canadian government. The Italian government is also said to have ordered a million dollars' worth.

—Toronto Globe.

If it is a thing a woman never is likely to need, she is pretty sure to put it carefully away.

General Local News of The Town and District

Readers Can Make This Column
More Interesting By Informing
The Editor of Events Occur-
ing Hereabouts

Creek Valleyites and their friends will please note that the School Trustees will hold their second Monthly Social on the 9th of February, at 8 p. m.

This time it will take the form of a Pie Supper, so the ladies are requested to bring pies sufficient for two people.

Mrs. Spencer, Miss Sutherland and Messrs Melvin, with others will supply the entertainment, and, of course, the dancing will be in evidence as usual. The Trustees March Social will be devoted to the Patriotic Fund, March 9th.

See advt elsewhere.

There will be a dance in the Gregerson Schoolhouse on Wednesday night, Feb. 7th. Ladies bring refreshments. Everybody welcome.

W. Ducklow made a business trip to Edmonton during the week.

Arrangements are being made for the holding of a St. Valentine's dance. Watch for posters and keep this dance in mind.

There was a good attendance at the Creek Valley box social, held last Friday, and everyone thoroughly enjoyed themselves.

The sum of \$16.50 was raised for the purchasing of a bell.

The committee wishes to thank all those who helped to make it a success, and especially those who attended from Monitor.

A Whist Drive, Box Social and Popular Lady Contest will be held in the Orange Hall on Wednesday, Jan. 31st. A chest of silver is the big prize.

An entertainment will be given in the Horse Shoe School on Thursday, Feb. 1st, at 8 p. m.

The program includes a dance and a chicken supper. The proceeds will go towards buying an organ for the school.

Admission \$1.00, ladies free.

Red Cross Masquerade Ball in the Town Hall on Friday, March 10th.

The regular meeting of the Ladies Aid was held at the home of Mrs. W. G. MacKenzie, on Wednesday afternoon.

When your work interferes with girling, cut out the work. We should worry, Red.

A surprise party was given to Joe Woodrow last week, on his birthday. About 25 of his friends gathered for this event and spent an enjoyable evening in games, etc. Altho Joe was caught unawares, he rose to the occasion and proved himself an excellent host.

Dr. Luckner, Dentist, will be in town until Monday Jan. 29. Owing to sickness, he did not reach here till the 23rd.

Now is the time to order your Machinery and Repairs, for spring

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MODERN WOODMEN

The M. W. A. Monitor Camp, No. 1323, will meet on Friday, Jan. 20th. All members urgently requested to attend. A. Christensen, Clerk.

CREEK VALLEY SCHOOL

Notice is hereby given that on and after the 1st day of January, 1917, 5% extra will be added to all unpaid taxes. C. Connah, Treasurer

OFFICIAL AUDITOR

C. Connah being again appointed to the above office will be pleased to audit School and Village accounts, on receiving due notice.



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January 1st, 1917

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